The 2005 National Meetings of the Joseph A. Holmes Safety Association, Mine Safety Institute of America, and National Association of State Mine Inspection and Training Agencies will be held together in St. Paul, Minnesota, during June 6-9, 2005. This meeting will provide a variety of Safety and Health workshops presented by experts from around the U.S. and representing all sectors of mining.

The meeting will be held at the Radisson River Front Hotel. To make reservations and receive directions, call 651-292-1900 or 800-333-3333. The discounted hotel rate per night for guest rooms: \$102, cabana rooms: \$139, and executive floor rooms: \$149. The hotel will honor reservations received by May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2005.

There will be planned outings scheduled for spouses and guests. St. Paul Attractions:

- Great restaurants within walking distance
- Mall of America & Camp Snoopy
- Grand Avenue Shopping
- Excel Center
- Walker Art Museum
- Minnesota Children's Museum
- Minnesota History Museum
- Science Museum of Minnesota
- Ordway Center for Performing Arts
- Historic A. Ramsey and J. Hill Houses
- The Wabasha Street Caves
- Harriet and Raspberry Islands
- Cathedral of St. Paul
- Minnesota Twins & St. Paul Saints
- The Guthrie Theater
- Snoopy / PEANUTS Sculptures
- Rice Park, Live Jazz, & Mississippi River

#### **BUSINESS MEETINGS**

June 5, 2005 – 3:30 p.m. - National Association of State Mine Inspection and Training Agencies NASMITA

June 6, 2005 – 3:00 p.m. – MSIA Officers/Directors Meeting

 June 9, 2005 – 3:00 p.m. - Mine Safety Institute of America Annual Membership Meeting (MSIA)
 June 9, 2005 – 3:30 - JAHSA Executive Committee Annual Meeting

#### **WORKSHOPS**

Dust & Noise Instrumentation: Upon successful completion of this two day course, you will be authorized to borrow / use MSHA Instruments to obtain health samples. Power Lift Introduction Personal Protective Equipment Safety Management: Sharing ideas of innovative approaches New Approaches to Task Training (JTA) New MSHA Assistance Programs Behavioral Safety Nuts and Bolts to Safety: Guarding Fire Suppression New MSHA Standards Haulage Blasting Electrical

#### SPECIAL EVENTS

MMSA Golf Classic: Join in the fun at the Minnesota Mine Safety Association's 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Classic. Flight prizes, Hole in One contest on four par three holes, other contests, Dinner and Raffle prizes. Transportation from hotel will be provided. Contact Roger Amdahl: 952-831-6200

**Vendors Reception** 

**HSA** Awards Banquet

#### **QUESTIONS?**

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#### 2005 REGISTRATION FORM

Name
Name for Badge
Company / Affiliation
Address
Telephone
Email Address
Guest Name
[] Advance Conference Registration - \$200 (must be made by May 6, 2005)
[] On-Site Conference Registration - \$225
[] Spouse and Guest Registration - \$125
Registration fee includes all social functions except the Golf Classic.

### No Refunds for cancellations after May 25<sup>th</sup>

Enclose check or money order payable to: "Joseph A. Holmes Safety Association"

#### MAIL COMPLETED FORM AND CHECK TO:

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